

Community Post

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National Volunteer Week: April 15 to 21

National Volunteer Week began in 1974 when President Richard Nixon signed an executive order establishing this week as an annual celebration of volunteerism. The Points of Light Foundation announced April 15 to 21, 2007 as National Volunteer Week and the theme "Inspire by Example".

Our volunteers have answered our nation's call for over 230 years. In the early days of our country, volunteers mended uniforms and tended the wounded near colonial battlefields; today's volunteers serve in support of the global war on terrorism. We are inspired by their proud legacy of volunteer service and through the generations our volunteers play a critical role during this challenging time of war and transformation. Not only do they serve in many of the community programs, they devote countless hours at the family assistance centers, in family readiness groups, and at hospitals supporting wounded warriors. Our volunteers support our deployed Service-members and care for families of the fallen. Through their sacrifices, commitment and supportive actions, our volunteers contribute to our military's readiness and bring stability and cohesion to our communities.

During National Volunteer Week we pay special tribute to our incredible volunteers. We ask that you extend your gratitude to these quiet heroes and consider joining their ranks as a volunteer.

For information about the many volunteer opportunities available in Stuttgart, call 431-3363/civ. 07031-15-3363 or e-mail kelly.measells@eur.army.mil.

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IMPORTANT CONTACT INFO

Post Operator (Information) 0711-680-113

Emergency Numbers

Ambulance	0711-680-116
Fire	0711-680-117
Police MP (emergency)	0711-680-114
MP Desk (other)	0711-680-5262
Poison Control	06371-86-7070 or 089-19240
From DSN phone	116 or 117
German Police	110
German Ambulance/Fire Department	112
<u>Installation Victim Advocate</u>	0176-262-48894
<u>Sexual Assault Response Coordinator</u>	0162-297-5265

Other Important Numbers:

American Red Cross	07031-15-2818
Chaplain	0711-680-5000
Installation Operations Center (IOC)	0711-729-2601
ACS/ Family Support Center	07031-15-3362
Housing Maintenance	0711-680-4357
Military Police	0711-680-5262
<u>Road & Weather Conditions</u>	0711-729-2474

Community Announcements

Honoring Stuttgart's Volunteers

U.S. Army Garrison Stuttgart invites all community members to honor our community volunteers at the annual Volunteer Recognition Ceremony on Friday, April 27, in the Panzer Special Events Center.

U.S. Army Garrison Stuttgart strives to set the standards that make people and units say, "I'm glad I live here." And nowhere is this tradition of selfless service more evident than among our community's volunteers.

For more about the recognition program -- or to learn about the many volunteer opportunities available in Stuttgart -- call 431-3363/civ. 07031-15-3363 or e-mail kelly.measells@eur.army.mil.

Alcohol Awareness Month

April is Alcohol Awareness Month, and in the spirit of recognition, Army Substance Abuse Program, with support from the Patch Medical Clinic, will be sponsoring National Alcohol Screening Day, Tuesday, April 24, from 8:30 a.m. to noon.

National Alcohol Screening Day® is an annual event that provides information about alcohol and health as well as free, anonymous screening for alcohol-use disorders. Normally, event sites are located in community, college, primary health care, military and employment settings. This year, the official NASD site in Stuttgart will be the Patch Medical Clinic. The program is designed to provide screening, education and outreach about the effect of alcohol on an individual's health as well as the surrounding public.

For more information, call the USAG Stuttgart Army Substance Abuse Program Prevention Coordinator at 431-2530/civ. 07031-15-2530.

Texas A&M Muster

The Texas A&M Club of Stuttgart will hold its annual Muster Saturday, April 21. All *Aggies*, former students and friends of Texas A&M are encouraged to call William Torbett at 07031-27-6571 or e-mail wctiii@hotmail.com for details and an invitation.

Community Bank adjusts hours for training

Stuttgart Community Bank locations will open later Wednesday, April 25, due to employee training. Patch will be open from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. Panzer and Kelley will be open from 1:30 p.m. to 4 p.m.

Support Army Emergency Relief

For the past 65 years, the Army Emergency Relief program has played a leading role in ensuring that all members of the Army family have the help they need when times are tough.

This year's A.E.R. fundraising campaign runs through May 15. For more information, contact your unit's A.E.R. rep or visit the USAG Stuttgart homepage at www.stuttgart.army.mil.

Community Housing Information Fairs

The Stuttgart Military Housing Office is proud to announce that it will be conducting its 2007 Information Fairs on the following locations and dates:

- Panzer Kaserne: April 21, 11 a.m. to 2 p.m., in the gazebo next to building 3111.
- Patch Barracks: April 28, 11 a.m. to 2 p.m., next to building 2512.
- Kelley Barracks: May 5, 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. on the open field entering Vesta Straße.
- Robinson Barracks: May 12, 11 a.m. to 2 p.m., in the gazebo next to the Community Club.

Bring the kids and enjoy lunch on us! Meet the members of your USAG Stuttgart Housing team and hear about upcoming projects and changes affecting your neighborhood.

For more information, call Arno Duchstein at 431-2238/ civ. 07031-15-2238

Summer Hire Program 2007 Registration

The Assistant G-1 for Civilian Personnel, East Region, Europe Area, will accept applications for the 2007 Summer Hire Program until May 11. This program, which runs from June 25 to August 3, is open to family members between the ages of 14 and 22 years old. Eligible applicants must be a family member of an active military member or DoD civilian, must be 14 years old by June 25, 2007, and cannot reach their 23rd birthday prior to August 3, 2007.

Jobs are available in the areas of clerical, labor, and child development work.

A web-based employment application, detailed information and the required in-processing forms are all available at Summer Hire Program Web page: <http://cpolrhp.belvoir.army.mil/eur/staffing/summerhire/default.htm>.

Summer Hire Program in-processing packets must be completed and turned in to the Stuttgart CPAC office no more than eight days after applicants submit their web-based resume.

For more information locally, e-mail the Stuttgart Summer Hire Program Coordinator, Mr. Oscar Bocanegra, at oscar.bocanegra@us.army.mil.

GAWC sorting rooms are open

The German American Women's Club has begun accepting donations for the fall Pfennig Bazaar. Items, *in good condition only*, can be dropped off at the Patch or Kelley sorting rooms. No electronics or furniture.

There is also a need for volunteers to help sort the donations.

- Patch Sorting Room- Building 2307 (Lower level, Washington Center).
E-mail gncjackson@yahoo.com
- Kelley Sorting Room- Building 3312 (Behind the Shoppette, by the laundromat).
E-mail mltidd@aol.com

RB Thrift Shop News

Your Robinson Barracks Thrift Shop is a consignment thrift shop and gladly welcomes your consignments each Friday and Saturday from 10 a.m. until 12:30 p.m. *Please call before bringing large items.* Please ensure that items are clean and in good repair.

Donations are always needed and greatly appreciated, and can be dropped off, day or night, inside the entrance to building 196. Shop hours are Fridays and Saturdays, 10 a.m. until 2 p.m.

Patch/ Panzer Thrift Shop News

In the very near future, the Panzer Consignment and Thrift Shop will be joining the Patch Thrift Shop in their now location in the former AAFES PX building. At this time, both thrift shops have *temporarily* discontinued accepting consignments. Current consignors are asked to pick up their remaining items between April 16 and April 27.

The Patch Thrift Shop and the Panzer Consignment & Thrift Shop are both currently operating under their normal business hours.

The Panzer Consignment & Thrift Shop is open Monday and Friday, 9 a.m. to 2 p.m., Tuesday and Thursday, 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. and the third Saturday of the month, 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

The Patch Thrift Shop is open Monday, Wednesday and Thursday, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. and the first Saturday of every month, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Intermittent roadblocks on Kelley Barracks

Due to the renovation of building 3308 on Kelley Barracks, Oak Straße will be partially blocked for short periods of time between 7:30 a.m. and 5 p.m. to facilitate the delivery of building materials and heavy equipment placement. The intermittent, partial blockage is expected to run through May 16.

Help Our Wounded Warriors

The Stuttgart chapter of "Sew Much Comfort" gives all community members an opportunity to assist wounded service members during their recovery and rehabilitation. The group creates, collects and provides adaptive clothing that fits comfortably over medical devices such as casts and prosthetics.

For information visit www.sewmuchcomfort.org.

Supply Drive for Fisher House

The Stuttgart area Girl Scouts are collecting supplies for the Landstuhl Fisher House. Items needed include paper products such as plates, napkins, cups, towels and toilette paper; plastic utensils; cleaning supplies and office supplies.

Collection sites are located at chapels, Shoppettes and commissaries on all Stuttgart-area installations, and in the AAFES "Mall for All" on Panzer Kaserne.

For a full list of needed items, see page 11 in the April 17 edition of the Citizen newspaper or visit <http://www.stuttgart.army.mil/sites/services/girlscouts.asp>

Education and Training

Free Professional Development Courses

The Civilian Human Resource Agency (CHRA) Europe, Human Resource Development Division, offers professional development and training opportunities at various locations in Europe. The courses are open to DA civilians, local national employees and service members. The tuition is free.

Go to: <http://cpolrhp.belvoir.army.mil/eur/index.htm>; click "Training & Development" then "HRDD Courses in Europe" for detailed information.

SharePoint Technologies class

The Using SharePoint Technologies for Knowledge Workers Class is being offered Monday, April 23, in the Stuttgart UATP classroom, Kelley Barracks, Building 3307-E. For more information, call 421-2475/ civ. 0711-729-2475, or go to the course registration page: <https://www.uatp.hqsareur.army.mil/classes.aspx?ClassID=4665>.

American Red Cross course schedule

Babysitter's Training

- April 16 to 18: 4 p.m. to 7 p.m.
- May 14 to 16: 4 p.m. to 7 p.m.
- June 4 to 6: 4 to 7 p.m.

Community First Aid and Safety

(Incl. Adult, Child and Infant CPR and AED)

- Saturday, April 28: 9 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.
- Saturday, June 2: 9 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

Adult CPR/AED

- Wednesday, May 9, 4 p.m. to 8 p.m.

Contact the American Red Cross at 431-2812/civ. 07031-15-2812, or stop by the Red Cross Office in Bldg. 2915, Panzer Kaserne, for details.

PCS/ Pre-Separation Briefing

The next scheduled briefing for permanent change of station (PCS)/ pre-separation information is April 18, 1 p.m., in bldg. 2913 on Panzer Kaserne.

All service members and civilians departing within the next four to five months should attend.

Information will be provided from various agencies including transportation, medical, dental, U.S. Customs, vehicle registration, housing, claims and Army Community Service.

Registration is required. For more information, and to sign-up, call 431-2599/civ. 07031-15-2599.

AFTB Training

Come to the Army Family Team Building Level One Training course May 8, 10 a.m., in the Army Community Service office, Bldg. 2915, Panzer Kaserne. Topics covered include benefits, entitlements and compensation as well as, basic problem solving.

The class is open to *all* service members, civilian personnel and family members. Children are welcome.

For more information call ACS at 431-3362/civ. 071031-15-3362.

Conduct meetings, training at DTF

Looking for a place to conduct meetings or trainings? The Joint Multinational Training Command, Digital Training Facility has several classrooms set up with 17 multimedia computer stations, each with Internet access and video tele-training capability to serve your needs.

To reserve a classroom call 431-2329/civ. 07031-15-2329. The facility is located in Building 2931 on Panzer Kaserne.

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Children and Teens

CYS SKIES Program Open House

The School of Knowledge, Inspiration, Exploration and Skills (SKIES) is hosting an Open House April 20, 3 to 4 p.m., in the Patch Youth Services building.

SKIES instructors will be on hand to talk about their programs and to let families know what type of workshops and special classes will be offered during the summer. Meet the instructors and ask questions, talk about concerns and inquire about prices.

For more information, contact the CYS SKIES Instructional Program Specialist at 430-5606/civ. 0711-680-5606.

Patch Elementary Scholastic Book Fair

The Patch Elementary Parent-Teacher Association is sponsoring a book fair April 23 to 27, 8 a.m. to 3 p.m., in the Patch Elementary School. For more information contact Patch Elementary School at 430-5200/ civ. 0711-680-5200.

Girl Scout Summer Day Camp

Register now for Girl Scout Summer Day Camp, August 20 to 24 on Panzer Kaserne. Enjoy horseback riding, camping, crafts, outdoor skills and a range of other fun activities. Space is limited; sign up by April 30. E-mail Jackie@jnasca.com.

Change for Free, Reduced School Lunches

The Department of Defense Education Activity is encouraging families of children attending its overseas schools to reapply for free and reduced price school lunches.

Earlier this year, DoDEA requested an increase in the reimbursement rate USDA provides for school lunches. The USDA approved the request and also authorized the use of the Alaska Income Eligibility

Guidelines in qualifying families to participate in the program. More families may qualify under the new guidelines as a result.

The school lunch program is designed to meet federal requirements for nutritionally balanced meals and to offer free or reduced-price meals to eligible children.

Installation commanders operate and maintain the program by providing instructions on how to apply for the program, determining eligibility of applicants, and maintaining and updating a list of students enrolled in the program.

Contact your child's school for more information.

JOB CORNER

Program Management Assistant

American electronics and communications firm seeking experienced program management assistant with excellent organizational skills for support of our growing Stuttgart office. Support tasks include documentation, developing presentations; providing professional administrative assistance to support the program manager and other members of the PM team when necessary.

Duties include planning meetings, producing reports, creating materials for technical proposals and presentations, organizing and maintaining the Manager's schedule, managing the information flow in to and out of the manager's office, and prepare travel itineraries and expense reports.

Four-year university degree preferred, with at least three years professional administrative experience.

Fax your resume and cover letter to 0711-2208-6766 or e-mail claudia.riviere@mcdean-europe.com.

Food service positions for new restaurants

Now hiring cooks and service personnel to staff new restaurants due to open soon on Kelley and Robinson Barracks. Full- and part-time positions available. Call Patriot Jobs at 0711-707-2386 or e-mail patriot-jobs@xemail.de.

NAF positions available in Stuttgart

Hotel Desk Clerks at the Hilltop Hotel and Swabian Inn Hotel. Flexible schedules. Starting pay is \$8.25 per hour. Knowledge of basic math, good verbal communication and customer service skills is required. One-year hotel front desk experience is preferred.

Child & Youth Program Assistants, flexible schedules at the various CYS facilities in Stuttgart. Starting pay is \$9.60 to \$15.96 per hour based on education and experience. Transcripts are required. Benefits include training, automatic non-competitive promotions and discounts on child care.

For additional vacancy announcements, and the NAF Job Application Kit, visit <http://cpolrhp.belvoir.army.mil/eur/cpac/stuttgart/index.htm> or call 421-2191/civ. 0711-7292-191 for more information.

Attention Fitness Instructors!

Stuttgart Sports and Fitness is looking for qualified, experienced fitness instructors to teach:

- Group Fitness Classes
- Yoga
- Belly-dancing
- Martial Arts

Applicants must have: current CPR certification, personal liability insurance, fitness instructor certification and three years experience. Send resume to: William.M.Smith4@EUR.ARMY.MIL by April 30.

Temporary Wellness Counselor

Temporary Wellness Counselor for the WIC Overseas Office, Stuttgart starting August 1, 2007 and ending October 15, 2007. This position vacancy requires the applicant be a registered dietitian, registered nurse with a BSN or have a degree in home economics. The applicant must be a US citizen, and be able to work at least 24 hours per week.

Send resume to: jenny.roper@us.army.mil. Call 354-6040/civ. 09721-96-6040.

AAFES is hiring!

Go to <http://odin.aafes.com/employment/default.asp> for a full list of available jobs in the Stuttgart area.

SPORTS & LEISURE**Stuttgart Outdoor Recreation Ski Trips**

Your last chance to hit the slopes with Stuttgart Outdoor Recreation is Saturday, April 21. This day trip to Arlberg, Austria is \$30 per person and includes transportation and equipment (if needed). Bus departs from Panzer Kaserne at 5 a.m. and returns at approx. 8 p.m.

For more information call 431-2774/ civ. 07031-15-2774, or stop by Panzer Kaserne, building 2949, Monday through Friday between 10 a.m. and 6 p.m.

Stuttgart hosts Euro Boxing Championship

The IMCOM US Forces European Boxing Championship will be held April 26 to 29 in the Patch Fitness Center. Opening ceremony begins at 6:30 p.m. Thursday; the first bout is at 7 p.m. For more information, contact Steven Sanders at 430 7136/civ. 0711 680 7136

History Book Group

The EUCOM History Office invites all history lovers to join the new EUCOM History Book Group -- no tests or homework! The first meeting is Thursday, April 26. The topic: "Are Some States Destined to Fail?"

We will discuss the works of Jared Diamond: Guns, Germs, and Steel or Collapse. Regular meetings will be held the last Thursday of every month from noon to 1 p.m. in Rindy's Conference Room in the basement of Bldg. 2308, Patch Barracks.

For more information call 430-7152 or 430-7106/civ. 0711-680-7106/ 0711-680-7152

Learn Russian Martial Arts

Russian Martial Arts Instructor Raimonds Zelcs is an experienced instructor in the art of *Systema*, a unique Russian survival/ fighting system. *Systema* takes its roots in traditional Russian martial arts, emphasizing a combination of strong spirit and morale, coordination of breathing, body posture and movement. *Systema* was improved and further developed for use by particular Special Operation Units within the *Spetsnaz*, Russian Special Forces.

Class meets every Tuesday and Thursday on Husky Field, Patch Barracks from 5:30 to 7 p.m. Class is free and open to US ID card holders over 18.

Fishing Course

Stuttgart Rod & Gun Club will be offering a Fishing Course to get you licensed and legal to fish in Germany.

The course runs May 8, 10 and 11, 6 to 10 p.m., and all day May 12 and 13.

Sign up and pay before May 1.

For more information call 431-2774/ CIV. 07031-15-2774, or stop by Panzer Kaserne, building 2949.

Ski and snowboard equipment turn-in

If you rented ski and snowboard equipment from Stuttgart Outdoor Recreation, it is due back on, or before, May 1. Late fees will be charged on equipment turned in after the 1 May deadline. For more information contact the Stuttgart Outdoor Rec. at 431-2774/ civ. 07031-15-2774

Stuttgart Superstars III

Saturday, May 12, at the Patch Fitness Center and Husky Field. Open to all US ID cardholders 18 and over and out of high school. Participants will compete in each of 9 different sporting events. For more information contact the Patch Fitness Center at 430 7136/civ. 0711 680 7136

Wednesday Evening Golf Scramble

The *Wednesday Evening Scramble* starts up again on May 16, and runs every Wednesday throughout the summer. Come out after work for a 9-hole, 5:30 p.m. shotgun start. Make your regular team or get paired up on the spot.

Enjoy a mid-week break, camaraderie, plus food and prizes on the patio after golf!

For more information call the Stuttgart Golf Course at 07141-879-151.

Sing, Sing, Sing!

The German-American Community Chorus has started rehearsing for its anniversary performance of Handel's Messiah, planned to take place in December. Though intensive rehearsals will start up in May/June, anyone who would like a gentler introduction to the work, mixed with lighter fare, is welcome to join in now.

The chorus practices each Monday at 7.30 p.m. in the Robinson Barracks Chapel Annex.

For more information visit: www.sgacc.de.

On the Go with the Stuttgart USO

➤ **April 27, Friday: Dinner Club- Wine & Tapas**

Join us for this unique wine tasting experience! The sampling of six Spanish wines will be accompanied by Spanish tapas. Vegetarian alternatives, and non-alcoholic beverages, are available if arranged in advance. Sign-up by Monday, April 23. Tour price includes transportation, appetizers and wine tasting and USO escort. Departs Patch: 1800; Returns: Approx. 22:30; Cost: \$ 55.

➤ **April 28-29, Sat-Sun: Prague Express**

Prague- Romantic, exotic and captivating. We will have a guided tour through the city, then the day is yours to enjoy as you please. Tour price includes transportation, city tour and USO escort.

Departs Patch: 0100; Returns: Approx. 0200; Cost: \$136 Adult/ \$130 Child.

➤ **April 28, Saturday: Frankfurt city tour**

Frankfurt is a dynamic European metropolis, a global village, a melting pot of cultures, languages and lifestyles. Enjoy a guided city tour in the morning with plenty of time in the afternoon to shop. Tour price includes transportation, city tour and USO escort. Departs Patch: 07:30; Returns: Approx. 2000; Cost: \$74 Adult/ \$68 Child.

➤ **May 2, Wednesday: Shoe Factory and Outlet**

Let's go shopping! A shoe factory and outlet in the morning. In the afternoon you will be taken to another Outlet where 55 trendy stores, all of which top-brands, await you in a shoppers paradise. Here merchandise can be found at prices reduced from 30% to 70% all year round. Not recommended for Children. Tour price includes transportation and USO escort. Departs Patch: 0800; Returns: Approx. 20 ; Cost: \$45.

➤ **May 3, Thursday: Tübingen and Bebenhausen**

Small steps, narrow alleys and pointed gables, shape the silhouette of old Tübingen all the way up to its castle. The Schwabian university town, of 85,000 inhabitants and 22,000 students, combines the flair of a lovingly restored medieval town with the colorful bustle and typical atmosphere of a young and cosmopolitan students' town. There is an abundance of historical buildings and monuments from the Middle Ages to the present. The Castle, City Hall, the Neckar Front, two old churches, medieval streets, squares and gardens, allow a leisurely and agreeable "joie de vivre". Numerous sidewalk cafes, wine taverns and cozy students' pubs, along with special and unique shops, invite visitors to stroll around and pause here and there. Not far from Tübingen lies Bebenhausen a lovely historical village famous for its monastery, the Kloster Bebenhausen. Bring Euro. Tour price includes transportation, city tour, entrance fee to the Monastery, and USO escort. Departs Patch: 08:30; Returns: Approx. 1800; Cost: \$63 Adult \$57 Child

➤ **May 5, Saturday: Bern, Switzerland**

Today we will travel to Bern, the Swiss capital. Succumb to the magic of Bern, capital of Switzerland and UNESCO Cultural World Heritage Site. The diversity and unique beauty of the city are sure to delight you. The charming older part of Bern still preserves its original layout. You will have a guided city tour in the morning. The afternoon will be free to enjoy lunch and/or to continue exploring the city. Bring US passport and Euro for lunch and souvenirs. Travel documents are customer's responsibility! Tour price includes transportation, guided city tour, and USO escort. Departs: 0500 Patch; Returns: Approx. 22:30; Cost: \$92 Adult \$86 Child

➤ **May 5, Saturday: Hannover**

Today we will take you to Hannover, a must see while in Germany! A modern state capital city with groundbreaking architecture and a modern infrastructure, surrounded by idyllic little towns and villages - this is Hannover with all its exciting and alluring contrasts. Some 40 different theatres, numerous museums and a world-famous State Opera hold out the promise of some thrilling moments and high quality performances. The Old Town has many picturesque corners inviting passers-by to linger, while the exotic landscapes of Hanover's Adventure Zoo are sources of fascination for the whole family. Those whose delight it is to go shopping will find that Hannover has one of Germany's longest pedestrian zones. Bring Euro. Tour price includes transportation, city tour and USO escort. Departs Patch: 0500; Returns: Approx. 2200 ; Cost: \$88 Adult/ \$82 Child

➤ **May 6, Sunday: Munich Flea Market & Frühling Fest**

Come with USO to visit Munich today! The best kept secret in Munich? During this weekend the capital of Bavaria will host a traditional market, which dates back to the Middle Ages and still relatively tourist-free. Local junk vultures congregate in the lovely Au district, on the lookout for odd gems amidst the bric-a-brac. Some where, hiding behind the cracked crockery, there's bound to be an exquisite Bavarian antique! And for those who love the typical German fests, in the Oktoberfest style, you can enjoy the Frühling Fest, with liters of beer and lots of fun in store! Bring Euro for the Flea Market and Fest, but remember that all the regular shops will be closed. Tour price includes transportation, city tour and USO escort. Departs Patch: 0600; Returns: Approx. 20 ; Cost: \$96 Adult/ \$90 Child

❖ ***Come to the USO Panzer OPEN HOUSE on Saturday April 21, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Find your next getaway at our 'travel fair' featuring local destination information; we will also have raffles, refreshments, and much more.***

For more information on these trips, tours and events, visit www.uso.org/stuttgart, stop by the USO office in the Community Services Center, Panzer Kaserne #2915 or call 431-3505/civ. 07031-15-3505.

AAFES MOVIE SCHEDULE- Patch Theater

- Movies and show-times are subject to change without notice. For updates, call the Patch Movie Line at 0711-120-8222 or go to: <http://www.aafes.com>.

Friday April 13	7 PM	Are we done yet?	PG
	10 PM	Because I said so	PG-13
Saturday April 14	4 PM	Are we done yet?	PG
	7 PM	The Messengers	PG-13
Sunday April 15	4 PM	Are we done yet?	PG
	7 PM	Because I said so	PG-13
Monday April 16	7 PM	Are we done yet?	PG
Tuesday April 17	7 PM	The Messengers	PG-13
Wednesday April 18	7 PM	Because I said so	PG-13
Thursday April 19	7 PM	Because I said so	PG-13
Friday April 20	7 PM	Breach	PG-13
	10 PM	Perfect Stranger	R

Clubs, Dining & Entertainment**Brighton Beach comes to Stuttgart**

The Stuttgart Entertainment Branch is bringing Neil Simon's classic coming-of-age comedy "Brighton Beach Memoirs" to the Kelley Theatre stage. The show's run features evening (7 p.m.) performances April 13, 14 and 20; and matinee (3 p.m.) shows April 14, 15 and 16. Tickets (\$12 for adults, \$10 for students) may be purchased online at www.kelleytheatre.de or by calling 421-2825/civ. 0711-729-2825.

Please note that this comedy includes some adult subject matter and is recommended for mature audiences.

The Broadway Café (Kelley 3319, 421-2315/ CIV. 0711-729-2315)

Stop by and check out Kelley Barracks' newest hot spot! The Broadway Café features a variety of coffees as well as delicious cakes, cookies and sandwiches.

Open weekdays from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. and evenings before and during theater performances.

The Broadway Café is also available for private parties and functions. For booking information, e-mail alan.buxkemper@us.army.mil

Robinson Barracks Community Club:

(Bldg. #168. 420-6129/civ. 0711-819-6129)

- **Wednesday**– Game Night, 5pm -11pm
- **Thursday**– Potluck BBQ, 5p.m. to 11p.m.
- **Friday** - Dart Night, 5p.m. to Midnight
- **Saturday** – Music and Party Night
- **Free movies and free popcorn!** Movies run throughout the day. Call or stop by for details.

The Kelley Community Club: (Next to the

Kelley Hotel. 421-2943/civ. 0711-729-2943)

- **Game Night Tuesdays:** 7 - 11 p.m.
Come on in; meet up with friends and play games such as dominoes, cards and X-Box
- **Karaoke Wednesdays** 9 p.m. - Midnight
Are you the next American Idol? Go for it!
- **Acoustic Jam:** Thursdays from 7:30 - 11p.m.
Bring your axe, fiddle or banjo and join the fun!
- **Jazz and Variety Fridays:** 8 p.m. - Midnight
Jazz and more with DJ Smooth K.

Sliders Lounge: (next to the Swabian Inn, Patch Barracks). 430-5758/civ. 0711-430-5758

Entertainment Schedule:

- April 13: Country w/ *DJ Crazy*
- April 14: Rock & Roll w/ *One Brick Shy*
- April 20: Rock/ Alternative/ Grunge w/ *Kojak*
- April 27: Salsa w/ DJ Angel

❖ Lunch and dinner service will not be available from April 13 through April 17.

❖ Sliders Lounge will be **closed** from April 21 to April 25.

Galaxy Bowling & Entertainment Center:

(Panzer Kaserne: 431-2719/civ. 07031-15-2719)

*** Summer leagues are forming now ***

- **Community Appreciation Days-** Every Monday. \$1.00 per game and free shoe rental.
- **Duty Bowl-** Two hours of unlimited bowling for \$6. Monday through Friday, 11 a.m. to 3 p.m.
- **Red Pin Wednesdays-** Knock down a red-pin with a strike and win a free game,
- **Cosmic Red Pin Bowling-** Knock down the red-pin with a strike and win a free game. Saturdays, 8 p.m. to Close.

Let the Galaxy host your next birthday party

Packages start at \$6.50 per child and include pizza, soda, bowling, and shoes. Theme and Cosmic parties are available.

Le Rose Italian Restaurant: (next to the Swabian Inn, Patch Barracks). 430-5404/civ. 0711-430-5404

Featuring the finest in Italian culinary delights. Favorite menu items include: pizza, pasta and sandwiches. All menu items are available for take-out.

Open for lunch: 11 a.m. to 2:30 p.m., dinner: 5 p.m. to 10 p.m. Closed Sundays.

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Vehicles:

1994 BMW 318i 4-door excellent condition, gray exterior with dark cloth interior, Premium alloy wheels, AM/FM stereo w/cass,PS,PDL, 5-sp w/sun roof, Summer and Winter wheels with 85% tread on both, 172,000km, Great gas mileage Garage kept and very well maintained. \$ 3,500 or OBO call DSN 430-5746, cell 0151-1024-5766, evenings 07127-957953, email braddcar@hotmail.com for pictures

1990 BMW 535i, very good condition. Clean, no rust. 171,00 KM. Nice blue color with blue cloth interior. Power seats, windows, sun roof etc. Heated seats. Everything works. Recently replaced brakes and rotors. Fun to drive, good transportation! \$2,500 Picture available. DSN 430-6033/ 0703 165 8580/ 01520 708 1906/ mehammer6@msn.com

1997 Chevy Astro Van, 135K miles, white, 4.3 L V6, PS, PB, AC, rear AC, luggage rack on top, rear seats removable, \$2000. Call Kevin or Chris at 0175-500-2014

1985 Honda Magna1100cc, V65 engine, Burgandy. Excellent condition, (antique), Dealer maintained w/records. Garage kept. Just a great bike. Asking \$3000, OBO. Call Richard: 0711-5053409/ 0179-9715737

2000 JEEP Grand Cherokee Laredo. Gold w/ black leather interior, V8 4.7 Liter, AWD, Automatic, 98k miles, power leather seats, power sun roof, roof rack, Thule 2-bike hitch rack, Blaupunkt single CD, Infinity premium sound, remote entry, factory alarm, heated seats, universal garage door opener, snow chains, new all-season tires. \$9,500. E-mail matthew.holt@t-online.de or call 07031-678666 for pictures.

2005 Mazda Tribute S. 23,000 Miles. Dealer Maintained. US Specs. ASKING- \$18,000. Kelley Blue Book= \$19,355. 4 Wheel Drive. 3.0 Liter (V6) Engine. Air Conditioning. Power Everything. Tilt Wheel. Cruise

Control. Dual Front Air Bags. Summer & Winter Tires. Anti-Lock Brakes (ABS). Roof Rack. Alloy Wheels. Multi-Disk CD Player. Call Liz Moore: 421-4275 or 0711-7294275

1990 Mercedes 190E, \$3000 obo. Excellent Condition. Less than 64,000 mi. New rear brakes/ rotors/ tires. Interior in great shape (no tears/ cracks) European Specs. AM/FM/CD. Heat/Rear Defog (no A/C). Car is reliable and good for travel throughout Europe. Call: 0711-120-8898/ 0711-680-6235/ 0162-296-7062

2007 Volvo XC90 3.2 AWD Sport Utility. Shadow Blue Metallic. Soft Beige interior. USA Specs. Less than 900 miles. Climate Package. Premium Pkg. Versatility Pkg. Convenience Pkg. Bi-Xenon Lights. Mud Flaps rear/front. Wood Steering Wheel. Running Boards. 18" Camulus Wheels. Sunroof. Automatic. Asking 36,000. Call Dawn Underwood, 430-7516 or 0711-680-7516

1996 VW Passat Station Wagon, white, automatic, German specs. 1.8L, 247,000 KM, cassette player, anti-lock brakes, A/C. NEW: transmission; front (pads) and rear brakes (pads/rotors); rear anti-lock brakes; distributor cap and spark plug cables; exhaust system. €2200. Call Scott: 0712-1384-3172 or 430-6512.

1988 VW Passat wagon. Red, 1.8L manual with 230K km on engine, 260K km on frame. New muffler, battery, spark plugs & cables. Winter tires with lots of tread. Great commuter/utility vehicle. \$500. Call Ken at 430-6926 or 07054-920-3670

Miscellaneous:

Volvo European Navigation DVD for your built-in Volvo navigation system--\$200. Save yourself some \$\$ and buy this DVD at a fraction of a new DVD. Contact Mark at 430-5970 or 07031-418-372.

Beligain Louis XV china cabinet for sale, 400 euro; Stainless steel dinning room table for sale w/ 6 matching chairs \$400; refinished castle coffee table 90 euro; oak arm chair \$5; 2 plant stands \$5; toddler car bed \$10, lot of boy clothes 24 mon-2T \$75, oak dresser \$25, full size mattress w/ box spring- free; weights w/ bar \$50; 3 drawer changing table dresser \$10, please call 0711-4894095 or email FrauJen79@hotmail.com

2/1500 W transformers \$75 each. 1/300 w transformer \$25. AIWA DC/Clock radio \$15. Philip Zeni 220 digital cordless phone/answer machine (english manual included) \$40. Rowenta precision iron/like new \$30. Waffel iron \$5. Elfa (220) shredder \$8. CONTACT TAMMY: cell/01622726321. email: tlonthego@hotmail.com

Two silver metal twin loft beds with desks underneath; no mattresses; retail at CX \$298, asking \$75 each. Corner light colored wood computer desk \$50. Call 0174-773-0240.

Wedding Llado without box. Perfect condition. Pictures available. \$50. Email: tampa1104@yahoo.com

Solid Oak Antique Shrank with cast iron fixtures. Bought in Leige, Belgium Antique Market. In great shape. Pictures available. Asking \$300 obo. Email: tampa1104@yahoo.com.

Koreas wedding vases and Korean four seasons vase. \$25 for the wedding set and \$20 for the four seasons vase. Pictures available. Email: tampa1104@yahoo.com

Polish Pottery: Olive pitcher, serving plates and bowls, Iris mug, Tea pot and mugs, egg holders and more. Pictures available upon request. Email: tampa1104@yahoo.com

2001 Presario 700 Laptop computer loaded with Windows XP Office. Works great but needs a new battery. Asking \$200, obo. Email: tampa1104@yahoo.com

AFN Receiver, PowerVu D9835, available now, asking \$175; digital satellite receiver, Skymaster DX 15, available now, asking \$10; analog satellite receiver, Skymaster XL 14, available now, asking \$5; 80 cm satellite dish w/quad LNB, available now, asking \$75; 60 cm satellite dish w/LNB, available now, free; King size bed w/mattress, box spring (two halves), frame with wheels, no headboard, available now, asking \$50; 230V Braun coffee maker, available 4/30, asking \$15; 110V microwave, available 4/30, asking \$20, 230V indoor grill, available now, asking \$20; 230V covered cooking pan, available now, asking \$20; 220V Phillips mini-chopper w/attachments, available now, asking \$20, 230V lawnmower, electric mower, available 4/30, asking \$15; 1997 Ford Contour, has AC but currently not working, Pioneer 12 disc CD changer, Kenwood radio/CD, runs good, reliable car, would like to keep using until we PCS, which will be on 5/11; asking \$1,700; three 17" CRT monitors, working but do not want to ship, available now, free; Bush entertainment center, good/fair shape, already have one at next location, available now, \$15; large desk w/5 drawers, fair shape, makes a good home office desk, free; 2 four-shelf 220V freezers, both in good working order, available now, \$125 for the pair; 4 BMW 3 series ('84) rims w/summer tires, condition of tires unknown, asking \$50; 4 Phillips cordless German phones, phones can be used as a group or for separate lines, available 4/30, asking \$50 for all; 230V hand mixer with dough hooks/ beaters, asking \$10; 230V blender, asking \$10 and propane grill, available now, asking \$50. Buyer needs to pick up larger items at my home in Weil der Stadt. Call Chuck Gebelein: 0711-686-39-5141/ 434-5141. Evenings: 0177-308-2769.

Lange EasyFit RRS 80 Men's Ski Boots, size 26.5, Thermo lining, system to reduce the risk of knee injury, Ski/Walk Mechanism; Hardly used. €100. Panasonic SA-HT720 Home Theater System with Built-In Progressive Scan 5-DVD Changer, 5 Satellite Speakers, and Active Subwoofer; 4 adjustable speaker stands- dual voltage. €150. Call Scott: 0712-1384-3172 or DSN 430-6512

Set of 4 DUNLOP SP Winter Sport steel rim tires size 175/65R15 for a 2006 Mini Cooper, \$200. 3 fans 220V, \$10 a piece. 5 transformers, 1-75W, \$5, 1-200W, \$20, 2-300W, \$25 a piece and 1-500W, \$35. Bauknecht under the counter stove (H 600mm, L 550mm, W 560mm) with Hob 230V, \$250. Please contact Brian at DSN 434-5067 or 015157266478.

Small cherry writing desk with compartments, elegant, drop-top design with brass knobs, new from Simba. Antique oak Belgian Commode, 4-drawer design useful as spare-room dresser or side table for linens. Paid \$375 each—will accept \$250 each. 0711-489-4262.

Transformers and 220V Appliances. 750W Transformer \$55; 300W transformer \$25; Appliances, like new! CD/ Alarm Clock/ Radio (w/Manual) \$15; Digital telephone/ answering machine (w/Manual) \$40; Rowenta Precision Iron \$30; Shredder \$5. Connie 07116562880/ 017629687321/ uvula8@yahoo.com

Free to good home: 5 year old calico cat, female, spayed but does have all claws. Contact Kevin or Chris at 0175-500-2014 or email hamilchris@hotmail.com

Pink 26 in. Tempas Huffly 5-speed girls mountain bike & helmet. Like new, asking \$60. Call 07031 685 611 or email jeff.shumway@tks-net.com for picture.

Garage/ Yard Sales:

Big moving sale! Saturday, April 28, 7am - Noon. Patch Barracks, Bldg. #2404. All prices negotiable.

Apts/Houses For Rent:

DUPLEX available 1 June in Magstadt: 126 qm, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, balcony, patio, garden, built in kitchen, 2 garages. Wonderful landlord. Contact M.DaFermo at 434-5967/ 0711-686-39-5967, mary.dafermo.ctr@disa.mil or, if you can speak some German, call the landlord Frau Sigrun Seitter-Queck: 0172-7425025/ 07031- 672390.

House for rent in Weil der Stadt: 4 bedroom, 2 ½ bath, basement and attic, 1-car garage and 1 space next to house. Available beginning of

May. Call Chuck Gebelein: 0711-686-39-5141/ 434-5141. Evenings: 0177-308-2769.

Wanted:

Looking for a single bed w/ mattress, in great condition, for a little boy. Please call 07114894095

3-4 bdr, 2-bath, apt, cottage, row-house or duplex in Böblingen. Must have private parking. Beginning July -August. JDM1965@hotmail.com or melendej@eucom.mil.

Looking to buy old, working Pentium 3 or 4 computers w/ 256 to 512MB memory. Must be able to boot from 3.5" floppy or CD-ROM. Send inquiries and/ or computer information and asking price to: xerxes1023@yahoo.com.

Occasional evening babysitter for 2 1/2 year old boy; in our home, 10 minutes walk from Panzer. Please e-mail bquilla2003@yahoo.com or call 07031-283-593

Looking to rent a single family house with at least 4 bedrooms and two full bathrooms. Need by June/ July. E-mail: whatif88@aol.com

Someone to deep clean our 4 bedroom, 1 full bath, 2 half-bath home in Weil der Stadt for our impending move. after April 23. Call Chuck Gebelein: 0711-686-39-5141/ 434-5141. Evenings: 0177-308-2769.

Lost:

Gold Wedding band and black G-Shock watch. Wedding ring was on watch's wrist-band when lost. Will pay substantial reward for return (ring has high sentimental value). Contact: mcnernem@eucom.smil.mil

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